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**President Ronald Reagan
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20500**

Dear Mr. President:

On the eve of your final official meeting with President Mikhail Gorbachev, I am writing to plead with you to bring up the case of Raoul Wallenberg.

The indications are very strong that he is alive. I know that you have received communications from his brother, Dr. Guy von Dardel, confirming a sighting of Mr. Wallenberg at a prison camp during the period of October 1987. It is my understanding that Dr. von Dardel gave you the name of that camp in his letter to you.

You, Mr. President, have accomplished so much during your years of office. Future generations will look at your presidency as one that worked tirelessly for peace while never neglecting the issue of Human Rights.

Raoul Wallenberg, by all indications, is alive. He is only seventy-six years old. There are still years left to him to be with his family and loved ones in Sweden. I know, Mr. President, that you will want to honor the bill that you signed on October 5, 1981 making Raoul Wallenberg the only living Honorary Citizen of the United States.

I and members of The Raoul Wallenberg Committee of the United States join together in wishing you, Mrs. Reagan, and your family a joyous holiday season and all that is good in the new year.

With great sincerity,

**Michael Oestreicher Hasep
President, The Raoul Wallenberg
Committee of the United States**

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